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I was employed first as a firefighter and finally as a fire engineer by the City of San Jose Fire Department from 1968 through 1998. After I retired I became a member of the Association of Retired Police Dfficers and Firefighters was and remains so today. From

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1999 to approximately 2002, I was a member of the Board of that Association. As a board member, I was active in promoting and negotiating with Alex Gurza for a Supplemental Retirement Benefit Reserve benefit for retirees. The purpose of this benefit was to help older retirees at least in part keep up with inflation. During those negotiations which concluded with the passage of Ordinance 26536, approving the SRBR for members of the Police and Fire Department Retirement Plan, there were never any discussions with representatives of the City to the effect that payment of benefits under the SRBR were discretionary.

I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on April 50, 2013, at San Jose, California.

Robert Cocilova

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